Imperial

PERINATAL INDICATORS	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	Percent Change 1990-2000	State Rank 2000 (1=Best)
Number of Births	2799	2839	2967	2849	2723	2637	2497	2381	2500	2464	2572	-8.1%	N/A
Birth Rate (per 1,000 est. pop.)	25.4	24.5	23.9	21.6	19.4	19.2	17.7	16.7	17.1	16.9	16.6	-34.6%	9*
	*	•	•	•	•	•	•	*State Ranl	is ranked from hi	ghest to lowes	st with 1 being	the highest ra	ate.
Teen Birth Rate (per 1,000 females 10-14 years old)	1.7	1.3	1.6	a	1.0	a	0.9	1.0	a	1.7	a	-	-
Teen Birth Rate (per 1,000 females ages 15-19)	76.8	72.5	85.3	82.0	70.7	63.5	63.4	60.5	62.7	59.6	66.9	-12.9%	50
Percent Very Low Birth Weight	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.9	1.2	0.9	1.1	22.2%	19
Percent Low Birth Weight	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.0	4.4	4.8	7.0	4.9	4.9	-5.8%	6
Percent Prenatal Care in First Trimester _d	53.3	56.5	56.9	59.3	62.2	68.0	68.5	71.0	74.7	77.0	76.5	43.5%	42
Percent Late or No Prenatal Care _d	14.5	11.8	12.0	11.6	10.9	7.9	8.4	7.9	6.2	6.2	7.3	-49.7%	50
Percent Cesarean Births	32.0	33.4	31.5	32.2	35.0	33.8	29.0	32.2	31.1	31.0	33.9	5.9%	56
Number of Infant Deaths	24	11	14	15	17	13	11	6	18	12	12	-50.0%	N/A
Infant Death Rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.6	3.9	4.7	5.3	6.2	4.9	4.4	2.5	7.2	4.9	4.7	-45.3%	10
HIV Seroprevalence Rate (per 1,000) in Childbearing Women**	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	e	e	1.5	e	e	-	15

** Percent change is for years 1990-1995 and State Rank is based on 1998 rate.

Percent of Women Breastfeeding at the Time of Hospital Discharge ^f	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	Percent Change 1994-2000	State Rank 2000 (1=Highest)
Percent Exclusively Breastfeeding	23	18	15	18	22	21	21	-9%	58
Percent with Any Breastfeeding	73	71	74	73	75	72	75	3%	55